

[Eliza Galloway]

Mrs. Emma Milligan

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FORMER NEGRO SLAVE NEAR DEATH

Eliza Galloway, former negro slave and one of Kearney's best known characters, continued to maintain her strength in a hospital here today, but physicians say the stomach ailment from which she is suffering will be fatal within six months.

Elizabeth Galloway, whose age is "somewhere past 90", arrived here in the boom days of '88 and presided in the kitchen of almost every social event for nearly half a century. She is the only negro resident of Kearney.

A "field slave" on a Maryland plantation before / the Emancipation Proclamation, she never learned to read and write, but her friends, many of them prominent in the life of the state and city, visit her almost daily at the hospital. They say she has "horse sense." Bil: Article from the [??] "Grand Island Daily [??] Grand Island, Nebr. C 15 Nebr